

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

In re: : Case No.: 20-10334-TPA
: :
Joseph Martin Thomas : Chapter: 11
: :
Debtor(s). :
: Date: 11/19/2020
: Time: 01:00

PROCEEDING MEMO

MATTER

#204 Appl. for Interim Compensation for Special Counsel
#210 Limited Obj. by Official Committee of Unsecured
Creditors for Tri-State Pain Institute, LLC

APPEARANCES:

Debtor: Michael P. Kruszewski, Gary Eiben, James
McDonald
Tri-State
Cred. Comm: Guy Fustine
Wells Fargo: Salene Kraemer
U.S. Trustee: Norma Hildebrand

NOTES:

Kruszewski: The real issue is that tasks that Counsel completed are tasks that I
could not complete myself. MacDonald Illig was in a better position
to handle these matters since they were involved.

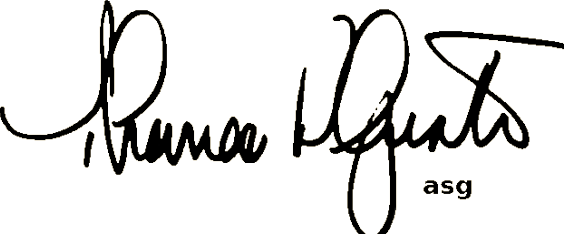
Fustine: I have concerns with the administrative insolvency in this case.

MacDonald: Yes, I was involved with Dr. Ko and we had negotiations regarding his
employment contract. We had a deal with LECOM which had totally
fallen through and we had to start from the beginning.

Skiba: Yes in exchange for lifting the restrictive covenant Dr. Ko had waived
a large amount of pay.

OUTCOME:

GRANTED / Chambers to enter order.


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